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COMPANY G TO LEAVE ALEXANDRIA NEXT MONDAY

Captain Johnson Receives Orders to Leave With His Company on Monday Afternoon Next at 3 O'clock—Many of the Men Anxious to Get to Camp.

According to a report received here today from Charlottesville Company G of this city will leave Alexandria next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the cantonment at Anniston, Alabama. Captain Johnson had received no orders to that effect up to one o'clock this afternoon, but thinks it probable that he will at any hour.

The Daily Progress, published at Charlottesville, contained the following in its issue received here today:

Guard Leaves Monday Night.

After waiting for weeks for orders, Major Thomas P. Peyton today received instructions regarding the departure for Anniston, Ala., of the Second Battalion of the First Regiment of Virignia, composed of Company D, of this city; Company G, of Alexandria; Company H. of Covington; and Company L. of Lynchburg.

The Monticello Guard will leave Charlottesville for Camp McClellan at 8:45 next Monday evening. The men will go on a special train, which leaves Alexandria, with Company G, at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. One baggage car and three passenger cars will be added here to take care of the men of Company D.

At 11:15 the special will reach Lynchburg and pick up Company H, of Covington, and Company L, of the Hill City.

Officers and men of Company D were not sorry to receive orders to move, many stating today that they were greatly relieved at the prospect of going at once to take up the serious duties of camp life which is before them.

Newspaper Man Informs Captain Johnson.

When shown the above article by a Gazette representative today Captain Johnson said he thought it was probably correct, but had not received his orders as yet.

Later—Orders Received.

Captain Johnson received orders about half-past 2 o'clock this afternoon from Colonel Perry to leave with his company at 3 o'clock next Monday afternoon for Camp Geo. B. McClellan at Anniston, Alabama.

BERNSTORFF UNMASKED.

Former Ambassador Wanted to Spend 50,000 Through an Unnamed Organization in the United States.

Former German Ambassador, Count von Bernstorff, was an active plotter, while his nation and the United States were still friendly, and he asked the Berlin foreign office, January 22. for $50,000, to influence Congress "as on former occasions."

His activity was through an unnamed organization which, he informed his government, could "perhaps pervent war." The State Department made this fact public today in announcing the text of a message he forwarded on that date.

The State Department announcement said:

"The Secretary of State issue the following message from Ambassador Bernstorff to the Berlin foreign office, dated January 22, 1917:

"I request authority to pay out up to $50,000 in order as on former occasions to influence Congress through the organization you know of, which can perhaps prevent war.

"I am beginning in the meantime to act accordingly.

" 'In the above circumstances a public official German declaration in favor of Ireland is highly desirable, in order to gain the support of Irish influence here.' "

This revelation on the heels of the Swedish-German Argentine Mexican-Phillippine exposure, and coupled with the Zimmermann Mexican-Japanese pilot note, clenches this Government's contention that Germany carried on active plottings and propaganda all over the world.

Riga front repulsed an attack by the Germans with great losses to the invaders, according to the statement issued yesterday by the Russian war office.

Notice to Dealers in Oysters.

The oyster packers of Virginia are very generally observing the requirement in packing oysters to sell "dry measure," or oysters which have been washed clean and drained. The addition of water to or ice in contract with oysters constitutes adulteration within the meaning of the food laws.

Oysters should be sold "Dry Measure" only. The sale of oysters by "wet measure" is illegal. Sale of oysters in violation of the law will be vigorously prosecuted.

Customers should demand dry measure and add such amount of water as may be desired from their own taps.

BENJ. L. PURCELL,
Dairy and Food Commissioner.

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USED AS TARGETS.

Poisoned Food and Tortures Meted Out to Italian Prisoners by Teutons.

Revolver practice with human targets—Italian prisoners—is the terrible sport of Austrian and Hungarian officers, according to Rome cables.

Attorney Polumdio, an Italian prisoner recently exchanged, brought this story with him to Italy. Polumdio said "Italian prisoners suffered other indignities and tortures too revolting to publish."

Lieut. Farks, a Hungarian officer now in an Italian prison camp, was one of the most motorious offenders. His brutality consisted of tying Italian prisoners to chairs. Minor wounds were inflicted until the men died. Other prisoners would be strung up by the thumbs until they fainted, when they would be revived and tortured again.

Feeding prisoners of war poisoned food is another barbarity practiced by the Austrians, causing hundreds of deaths.

There will be no reprisals against Lieut. Farks, the cable stated.

PREPARED FOR BARBARITY

Map Campaign to Meet Germans on Own Ground.

The United States is going to meet Germany at her own game of frightfulness and army men are at work on a plan of making the war so frightful to Germany that the Germans will welcome peace at any price.

Besides poison gas and liquid fire, both of which, it was announced yesterday, would be employed by the American army, expert chemists are reported to be engaged in experiments with a new substance which will carry the campaign a step further and be the American backfire against German methods.

War will be carried against Germany with poison, flame and dynamite—dynamite from thousands of aeroplanes which will answer the Germans in their own language of "women and children first."

Pauline Frederick at the Richmond Theatre Monday.

"Double-Crossed," a Paramount picture starring Pauline Frederick, which is coming to the Richmond Theatre Monday is a modern play of love and intrigue, with a tremendous feminine appeal. It is the story of a young society matron who discovers that her husband, with whom she is very much in love and whom she has always set upon a pedestal, has, in his youth, committed a serious slip. Miss Frederick's emotional acting in the scene where she overhears a detective trying to blackmail her husband with a signed confession, is superb and up to her highest standards.

Alexandria City and Suburbs

Miss Anna O'Brien, of Media, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. E. K. Powell, 714 Queen street.

While visiting his daughter, Mrs. La Crosse, in Baltimore, Mr. George Ayers, of this city, became ill last Wednesday. His condition is reported as serious.

Residents in the vicinity of the Cameron street wharf were entertained with a concert by a band which accompanied the steamer Three Rivers on its arrival here today from Baltimore, about noon.

There will be a meeting of the alumni of St. Mary's Academy tonight at 7 o'clock to arrange the final details for the entertainment of the Virginia delegates of the International Catholic Alumni Association to to be held here next week.

According to the reports submitted to the board of police commissioners by Chief of Police Goods at the meeting held night before last, there were 138 arrests made by the police department in this city in the month of July and 112 during the month of August.

Do your bit by showing your colors tomorrow is the Salvation Army's Tag Day for their war relief fund. A very neat little flag button will be offered in different parts of the city and it is hoped Alexandrians will do their part in this noble work, and keep their city to the front with others which have aided.

Students who are arriving here from the northern states to attend the Episcopal High School, are experiencing much trouble in getting their baggage through Washington owing to a tie-up in the baggage department at the Union station in that city for the past few days, supposed to be due to the heavy passenger travel.

Increases in the wage scale for employes in the Washington Navy Yard, aggregating approximately $50,000 a year to the payroll was announced by the Navy Department. Ten per cent increases in wages were given to workmen in more than fifty trade classifications to bring them up to a parity with those received by men doing similar work in private shipyards. Alexandrians employed at the navy yard will be benefitted by this increase.

About noon today while an incoming electric train was passing the intersection of King and Royal streets the steps of one of the cars struck a wagon belonging to M. J. McFarland. The shafts of the vehicle were broken, but the horse and driver escaped injury. According to the version of the accident as given by the colored boy, who had charge of the wagon, a passenger on the train alighted while the cars were moving when the boy turned his horse quickly to avoid striking him. This action threw the wagon close to the train as it turned the corner, causing the protruding steps to strike the vehicle.

BIG PRICE ON KAISER'S HEAD.

Kansans Plan to Offer $1,000,000 to Any One Who "Gets" Him.

Mulvane, Kans., Sept. 21.—Twenty Mulvane men yesterday pledged themselves to give $50 each as the first thousand dollars toward a million dollar reward to be paid to the man of any nationality who will get the Kaiser.

They believe such a reward, if the notices were properly scattered across German lines, might get results and would be one of the surest and quickest means of an early peace. They would broaden the offer and pay the reward to the estate of the man if he should lose his life in the successful prosecution of that purpose.

Thirty-four persons have been killed and twenty-four others injured as the result of an explosion in a munitions factory at Cologne.

Death Notice.

Frederic Ervin Ludwig passed to life eternal on Thursday, September 20, 1917, at 8:05 p. m. Services from his late home, Lilac Terrace, North Braddock Heights, Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Friends and relatives are invited. 227-2t

Miss Esther F. Brookes, of 701 Prince street, has returned from Cape May.

Mr. Ashby Reardon left the city today for Princeton, N. J., to enter the aviation training school.

Miss Corrinne Reardon went to Lynchburg today where she will resume her studies in the Randolph Macon Woman's College.

Miss Edith Rotchford, of Queen street, has returned from Ft. Myer, where she was quite ill, but is now much improved in health.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Thomas D. Row, of Alexandria, and Rachel Allen, of Washington.

The prayer meetings at the Anne Lee Memorial Home will be discontinued until Friday, Oct. 5th. They will then be held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. William Smith, of this city, and Miss Margaret Harrison, of Lynchburg, will be married in Lynchburg on September 30. After a short bridal tour through the middle West they will reside in Cuba, where Mr. Smith has accepted a position in the government service.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that beginning tomorrow, September 22nd, and on every Saturday until further notice, examinations will be held in this city for messenger boys for positions in the departmental service in Washington. The positions pays about $360 per year.

A number of men empolyed in the street cleaning department of the city have become dissatisfied with the hours they are compelled to work, and have abandoned their positions. It is said that they want nine instead of ten hours. Some of the force have accepted positions at the plant of the Washington Steel and Ordnance Company.

Twenty-four drafted men from Northumberland county, this state, arrived in the city today noon on the steamer Three Rivers, on their way to the cantonment at Petersburg. They were in charge of Captain Warren Edwards and Lieutenant C. S. Parsons. Seventy-four men are yet to go from Northumberland county. The entire quota of that county is 103. Part of them have already reported at Petersburg.

Capt. Franklin Williams, who served throughout the civil war under Col. John S. Mosby, died yesterday at his home in Woodford, Alexandria county, after a brief illness. Among the many exploits in which Captain Williams participated was the capture of General Stoughton, in the midst of his army. Captain Williams is survived by three sons, Dr. Herbert F., Jr., Dr Welton C., and Hampton C. Williams; and two daughters Mrs. Charles Bragg, of Clarendon Alexandria county, and Mrs. Albert N. Conner, of Washington.

NO MEXICAN LOAN IN U. S.

Carranza's Declaration Taken to Mean That no Effort will be Made to Borrow.

Mexico City, Sept. 20.—Mexico will not endeavor to obtain a loan from the United States. All intentions and informal negotiations in that direction have been abandoned!

This is the conclusion drawn in all quarters form a declaration made by President Carranza this afternoon before a committee of deputies. He stated that he had confidence that both chambers would work hereafter with high patriotism, "because Mexico has to live on her own resources."

Colored Teachers' Association.

The colored Teachers' Association of Alexandria met in the Lee school building yesterday afternoon and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: W. T. White, president; P. H. Lumpkins, vice-president; Harriet Thornton, secretary, and R. D. Lyles, treasurer. The teaching of arithmetic will be discussed at the next regular monthly meeting.

Salt Water and Potomac Oysters. J. Brill, No. 2, King street. Phone 307J.

Mrs. John Leadbeater and children have returned home from North Conway, New Hampshire.

Mr. Vernon Webster left this week on his vacation in Philadelphia and New York.

The alumni of the Alexandria High School will hold a meeting in the new high school building at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Mrs. Emma C. Reid, who has been visiting her son at Haverford, Pa., has returned to her home in this city.

The regular monthly meeting of the Promoters of the League of the Sacred Heart will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in St. Mary's Hall.

An interesting meeting of Potomac Lodge No. 38, I. O. O. F., is anticipated tonight. The first degree will be conferred upon three candidates, and the initiatory degree upon three.

The Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 1-2 per cent, payable October 1. Stock of this company sold in Washington yesterday at 151 1-2.

There was but one case on the blotter of the Police Court this morning. A Washingtonian had been arrested in this city yesterday for operating an automobile without a state license. He left ten dollars collateral for his appearance this morning, but failed to respond when his name was called.

Mrs. Phoebe Yeager Howells, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. William Campbell, 216 south Washington street, at 9:20 this morning. Mrs. Howells was in her 89th year. She was born in Butler county, Ohio. Funeral services will be held at 11 a. m., Saturday morning. The body will be taken to Ohio for interment.

Justice Stafford of the District of Columbia yesterday summoned John T. Waddy, a tinner at the navy yard to show cause why he should not pay temporary alimony to his wife Mary G Waddy. The order of the court is based on a suit for maintenance filed by his wife, in which she charges that her husband deserted her last July. They were married in Alexandria, April 26, 1911, and have one child.

Erwin Ludwig, a highly respected resident of Braddock Heights, died last night about eight o'clock at his home, following a stroke of paralysis from which he suffered on Tuesday last. The deceased was proprietor of a machine shop in Washington. Besides his wife he is survived by a daughter, Miss Gretta Ludwig. He was a member of Alexandria Council No. 5, Order of Fraternal Americans, also of the Royal Arcanum. The funeral will be held from his late residence in Braddock Heights on Sunday afternoon at 2:30, Rev. A. E. Spielman, of Trinity Methodist Church and Rev. Wm J. Morton, of Christ Church, officiated. Interment will be in Ivy Hill cemetery.

EMPEROR ESCAPE.

Imperial Party Flees Under Fire as Italians Attack.

Geneva, Sept. 0.—An official Austrian telegram from Landeck, in the Tyrol, states that Emperor Charles, with a large staff in automobiles, visited the Alpine outposts of the Austrians in the Trentino, and that his visit took place since the 15th of September.

A Lugana report, confirmed by Swiss troops watching on Stelvio pass, states that the emperor and his whole staff narrowly escaped capture, because the Italian commander was informed by an aviator that many automobiles were in the vicinity. The Italian troops thereupon attacked nad captured an Alpine outpost, while the royal motor party fled down the Stelvio route under machine gun fire.

Notice.

The members of Alexandria Council, No. 5, Order Fraternal Americans, are requested to meet at their Council chamber (I. O. O. F.) Hall, Sunday afternoon, September 23, at 4:30 o'clock, P. M.; for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Bro. F. Ervin Ludewig. By order of the President.

JAMES R. MANSFIELD, Secy.
227-2t.

MANY ASK DISCHARGE

Alexandria Merchant's and Brunswick Farmers Petitions Fail. Appeal to President.

Richmond, Sept. 21.—Claims for exemption at the hands of the district exemption board for the eastern district of Virginia are flowing in by every mail, and many petitioners are appearing in person. The board is working several hours each day in passing on cases, and it is no secret that few are receiving the consideration desired; that is, exemption. There are thousands and thousands of papers filed in the office, with clerks busy copying and transcribing the same and entering the same of record. Chairman Cox is overworked, and he is on the job from early till late at night.

Yesterday there has been a refusal to excuse C. W. King, of Alexandria, from service, and the case has been appealed to the President. Mr. King is 27 years old, makes no claim on the ground of dependents, but he is connected with a concern engaged in mercantile pursuits, which he construed to mean an industrial line.

The board twice considered this case, and while Mr. King is a man of means and his position is one identified with the furnishing of food supplies, the board is of the opinion that it is not a work that merits exemption and has so ruled.

Another case that failed to win was that of A. Russell Meredith, of Lawrenceville, Brunswick county. Mr. Meredith, says he is a farmer, that he has 200 bushels of peas, 280 barrels of corn, 10 tons of hay, 6 bales of cotton, and 15,000 pounds of tobacco under cultivation this year; that he owns 355 acres of land and that he is preparing to enlarge his farming operations the coming season. He is a man of means and has a dependent wife, but the board failed to see why he should be exempted and has denied his application.

RUSSIA STILL RESTIVE.

"Class War" Also Bothers Largest Cities in Country.

Petrograd, Sept. 21.—The canine of anarchism is viciously snapping after the hand that fed it. Both in this capital and in Moscow, as in a number of others of Russia's largest cities, resounds the ever louder bark for "peace" and "class war." The Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Deputies virtually under heel of the Maximalists, has developed over night from being the mainspring of Kerensky's power into the gravest menace to his regime and to free Russia as a whole.

Moscow was heard from yesterday and it was ominous news. The deputies council there passed—355 to 253—a resolution almost identical with that adopted by the Petrograd Council. It calls for:

1. Abolition of all private property.
2. Assumption of the government by the council.
3. Elimination from the government of all propertied classes.
4. Immediate steps toward peace.

In the fourth point which really is the first, for the Bolsheviki claim the other reforms cannot be won until there is peace, lies the greatest danger. Agitation for its creeps like a serpent through the ranks of the Russian armies of soldiers and workers. It is not necessarily separate peace the Maximalists clamor for. They emphasize at every step that their aim is to persuade all nations to make a general peace. But with the resolve of the entente to fight to the finish demonstrated, this continued propaganda for peace can mean in its ultimate consequence only a separate deal between Russia and the central powers.

WILL EXAMINE ALL MEN

Those Liable to Draft Must Appear for Tests.

All of the men who came in the draft limit will be subjected to an examination according to an announcement from Secretary of War Baker yesterday. The examining officers have been ordered to continue the work of investigating into the health of the liable conscripts. The remainder of the 10,000,000 men who were subject to the draft will be affected by this decision.

VIOLATING REED LAW

Alexandria Police and Government Officers Take North Carolinians From Train Last Night.

Four North Carolinians, who had made purchases in Baltimore, and carrying fifteen suit cases well-filled with liquor, arrived in Washington yesterday with the intention of transporting the wet goods into North Carolina. They were bound for Mecklenburg, where a joyous blowout was to be held by a select company. The North Carolinians talked much while in the capital city, and, unfortunately for them, some of their words entered the ears of attaches of the Department of Justice. When night had cast its shadows the quaternion left Washington on a Southern Railway train for their home, unconscious of the fact that the Alexandria police had been requested to make it convenient to meet the train at the union depot. The federal representatives were aboard the train, and after it had rolled into the depot Sergeant Roberts and Officer Power boarded it and, with the officers from the Department of Justice, took the men in charge. The prisoners were taken to Falls Church to face United States commissioner George T. Mankin on a charge of violating the Reed "bone dry law" which prohibits the taking of wet goods into a state where the manufacture and sale of liquor are prohibited.

The men are being held under bail for further action. The liquor will be held as evidence.

WILD CAT ATTACKS MAN

Clings to His Clothes and Inflicts Four Wounds.

Waynesboro, Pa., Sept 21.—Augustus Whitmore, caretaker of the Waynesboro Water Company's plant at Rattlesnake Run, in the mountain north of Waynesboro, was attacked and injured by a wild cat Wednesday. He was on his way home from Waynesboro, and when passing through the forest a quarter of a mile from his home at the dam, the wild cat, which was at the side of the road, sprang upon him. It hung to his clothes with its claws, and four large rents were made in his coat before he succeeded in knocking it loose with his fist. Four deep wounds were made in the flesh of his hand.

This is the first time in a long while that a wild cat has attacked any one in this section. A little further up the valley they are said to be quite numerous.

The Japanese government yesterday acted to relieve the situation in Russia. The Japanese ships, having a total tonnage of 20,000, were diverted from the Japan-European trade to carry supplies from America to Vladivostock, Russia.

Notice.

While reading the Gazette yesterday evening I saw the notice that Wm. H. Scott, my husband, had inserted, announcing that any bills that I contracted in his name he would not pay. I want to correct this notice, and furthermore to state that I get nothing in his name. All my accounts are made in my name because he does not believe in paying his wife's and children's bills and I always manage to get them settled. If the money he gave me did not meet out with the expenses, which it very seldom did, with my work and the aid of my son, Lieut. John P. Scott, they were always paid. About eight years ago my grand uncle died leaving me some money. At that time I hardly knew what to do. When I received my portion through my attorney, I paid some bills that had been standing since we were first married, even for his first wife's children. This money I should have put in a home, as it was there was very little for that, so there was a small amount paid on the house and I have been battling along ever since, buying through the building association. He never tried to live as a man should. His way was not mine, and when I look back and see my children I thank my Father in Heaven that I have been given the strength to raise my dear children in the love and fear of God.

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TABLES HAVE BEEN TURNED.

Four years ago, when the Germans were demolishing cathedrals in northern France and Belgians, they were using guns which they termed Bertha Krupps and "Jack Johnsons." The invaders laughed at the victims of their terrific drives, and enthused their soldiers with the positive assurance that within a few weeks they would be marching down the Champs Elysett in Paris to the music of "Germania Guarding the Rhine."

These illusions have passed away, and instead of Germania lasting her way to the French capital, the invaders have long since, to use their own words, been fighting with their backs to the wall. The allies seem to have guns more powerful than "Bertha Krupps" or "Jack Johnsons."

In his new drive on the West Flanders front Field Marshal Haig is demonstrating anew the vigor of the British offensive. The action has not yet assumed the proportions to indicate the exact aims held in view by the British commander. But the fact is being demonstrated anew that the Germans are no longer capable of more than a grim defensive, with occasional counter offensives to set up against the advances made by their foes. All objectives thus far have been carried by the British. This offensive is not to be looked upon as an independent action, but as part of the great offensive that slacked while the necessary work of bringing up the guns and creating new positions was done.

This is the last offensive prior to the setting in of bad weather. The object of General Haig appears to be to drive the Germans back on all fronts so as to make their position and conditions as comfortable as possible during the winter, when, on account of the sternness of the weather, little can be done in the way of reintrenchment. The positions to which the foe will retire will need a vast degree of work to make them anything like as comfortable or as formidable as the positions that are now being contested by the British.

"THE LEAVEN IS WORKING."

Those expressions of loyalty to the German Emperor, coupled with denunciations of President Wilson for his impertinence in attempting to draw a distinction between the German rulers and the German people, coming from chambers of commerce and trade organizations in Bremen and Hamburg and elsewhere, have all along borne the earmarks of organized efforts. As the Baltimore Sun wisely observes, they were too similar in tone and pharaseology to give the impression of spontaneity. Now the secret is let out by the repeated appeals of the inspired press of the empire for an organized demonstration of loyalty to the Kaiser, accompanied by a protest against Mr. Wilson's "attempt to drive a wedge between the German people and the Emperor."

An organized movement of this sort can mean only one thing, and that it is that the President's words are influencing German thought. If the resentment against the President's impertinence was anything like as general as the Government-controlled press asserts, there would be no need to organize a movement against it. The socialistic Vorwaerts, it will be remembered, said of the President's letter to the Pope that the demands it embodied were only the demands that the German people themselves were making; the more conservative Berliner Tageblatt said that while a parliamentary government could not be imposed upon Germany from the outside nevertheless it was what Germany needs and must have, and the excited efforts to combat the effect of the President's words seem to imply that these journals represent a large proportion of German opinion. Even the reactionary Cologne Gazette now admits that a considerable proportion of the German people "is infatuated with the idea of a change in the Constitution.'

GERMAN NAMES ODIOUS

It will take Germany centuries to purge herself of the just contempt she has incurred from the most of the civilized world. Long after the war shall have ceased many travelers through Europe will keep as far from the Fatherland as the consicentious Hebrew did from Samaria in the days of our Saviour. They would travel many miles in order to avoid passing through that land. In our own country most of our institutions of learning have "cut out" German, while streets bearing Teutonic names are having the same changed.

Cities in various part of the land which bear German names are about to follow the example of St. Petersburg which was changed to Petrograd as soon as war was declared by the Kaiser.

This wave may reach the Alexandria market house. The countrymen who offers schmierkase may be asked to call his product something else, as may also the dealers in sauerkraut and schweitzer cheese.

Suggestions have been put forward by travelers in every section of the United States, protesting against German names by which many of the sleeping and parlor cars are at present designated. Such names as "Bismark," and "Kronprinz," and others of Teutonic heroes and war lords have become obnoxious to Americans.

Indian chiefs, pioneer, military and naval heroes, and native statesmen have been suggested as offering a fertile field for a new group of titles to replace the pre-war names. In many cities, public opinion has forced the changing of streets like Bismarck in St. Louis to a more appropriate and patriotic title, and among the larger communities Chicago has probably gone the farthest in eliminating about two dozen of the avenues and squares called in honor of Frederick the Great, of Prussia, and other Teutonic leaders.

ILL-TIMED STRIKES.

Most of the strikes now in progress in different sections of the country are over the question of wages. But the strike of longshoremen in New York, where 6,500 men are now out, seems primarily due to the refusal of a ship company to discharge a foreman upon demand of the union. Secretary Wilson's advice should be heeded by the union workers.

"I have told labor," said Mr. Wilson, in his address at Atlantic City yesterday, "that this is no time for them to insist upon recognition of their unions nor to force changes of standards they could not change in peace time; that this program endangers the future liberty of our people."

An exchange in commenting upon these unfortunate conditions says the European shipping along the entire Atlantic coast may be tied up. From Hoboken to San Francisco is quite a jump, but the other strike on the Pacific coast is similarly menacing, although so far as can be noted, the mechanics in the shipyards in Northern California have less of justice in their complaints to enlist public sympathy. They are demanding an increase of fifty per cent in their pay at a time when the government is in urgent need of the finished product of their labor to meet the aggressions of the enemy. Upward of $150,000,000 worth of shipbuilding is in the balance, Seattle and Portland participating.

POLES ARE STARVING.

Riots Rampant in Warsaw, a Man Permitted to Leave Reports. Relief is Needed.

Starvation and rioting in Warsaw and other sections of Poland occupied by the Germans have so increased that Germany has authorized relief workers to seek funds wherever they may be found. The Red Cross headquarters at Genova and agents of the Rockfeller Fund have been called upon for help.

This information reached here yesterday from a man in Switzerland who has been attending to the work of distributing relief in Poland and who was allowed to leave the country by the Germans on condition that he raise more money. The general condition of Poland, the message said, is deplorable. Prices of food have risen to such an extent that none but the richest can buy, the poor are literally starving, and the mortality among the children is described as shocking.

Hatred of the Germans is said to be so intense that women attack German soldiers in the streets and gendarmes have been forbidden to patrol the country at night, as many of them had disappeartd. It is plainly evident, according to the dispatch, that the Germans are apprehensive of disturbances by the considerate treatment given rioters.

When representations were made to the German governor—General von Beseler—of the misery of the people, his reply was that it no doubt was bad, but that "war is war." He authorized the relief worker to go into Switzerland to raise money for relief.

BAKER KILLED BY AUTO.

George Rukert, Sr., Meets Instant Death Moment After Bidding Wife Good by.

Baltimore, Sept. 21.—George Rukert Sr., 601 North Fremont avenue. was struck and killed by an automobile within a few yards of his home yesterday afternoon. He had bid goodby to his wife only a few minutes before.

The automobile made a quick turn into George street from Fremont veering toward the north curb of George street. The driver, Morris Richman, swung suddenly to the south side in an effort to avoid striking the man, but failed. Mr. Rukert was dragged 50 feet and rolled under both wheels.

The blow crushed in his chest, evidently causing instant death. Its force was so great that the headlight, which struck Mr. Rukert first, was shattered, Richman picked up the body and hurried to the University Hospital, but Mr. Rukert was lifeless.

Mrs. Rukert, the widow, and her daughter, Miss Marie Rukert, were sitting at the window sewing, though neither witnessed the accident. Both women nearly collapsed when a scant minute later a small boy rushed to the window and cried, "Mr. Rukert's been killed," and they nearly swooned as they saw the body of the husband and father being placed into Richman's automobile.

QUEBEC BRIDGE FINISHED

Great Central Span Bolted Into Places After 150-foot Lift.

Quebec, Sept. 21.—The central span of the Quebec cantilever bridge was successfully bolted into place yesterday afternoon at 3:28 o'clock, linking together the arms of the largest bridge of its kind in the world. The hoisting operation began last Monday morning, and the span, which weighs 5,000 tons, was lifted by hydraulic jacks a distance of 150 feet from pontoons on the St. Lawrence River.

The successful completion of the bridge will mean the fulfilment of a 50-year engineering dream. It will be some months before trains can be run over the structure, as there is much detail work to be carried out.

NEWS NOTES FROM DEL RAY AND ST. ELMO

Del Ray, Sept. 21.—Miss Lulu Hundley, of St. Elmo, has received a position as clerk in the accountant's office at Potomac yards.

When the ladies of the Red Cross met at the fire engine house in Del Ray yesterday morning they found disorder, and much damage had been done to the furnishings by irresponsible boys of the town.

Mrs. James J. Cross and son James, left yesterday for a visit among relatives in Richmond.

Mrs. Jennerfer Broaddus and family, have returned from a visit in the home of Mr. F. W. Andrews, in Caroline county.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Sutherland, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Sutherland, Jr, who have been on an extended motor trip in the northern states were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs Alvin Pennypacker, and yesterday returned to their home in Richmond.

Miss Annie Pough, who has been a guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Yates, for several days, has returned to her home in Hamilton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Haley are moving into the home recently vacated by J. T. Hardin, in St. Elmo. Mrs. Haley has just returned from a two months visit among relatives in East Radford, Va.

Jesse Morris is enjoying a fifteen days' vacation from his desk in the yard master's office at Potomac yards.

The running time between Halifax and Winnipeg will be reduced half a day. One detail is the painting of the bridge, which, it is estimated, will take three years and cost 35,000.

DRIVE TOWARD OSTEND.

Haig's Troops Penetrate German Line to Depth of Mile at Ypres.

London, Sept. 20.—British troops are reported to have penetrated the German positions in their offensive on the Flanders front as far as the Zonnebeke-Gheluvelt line.

At the time the report was dispatched the Germans had launched no counter attacks. They were massing in certain places, however, where the British guns were bombarding them.

The British penetration has reached the depath of a mile, "which. considering the character of the ground, is a wonderful achievement." The dispatch adds: It characterizes the result of yesterday's attack as a "fine success."

Two thousand prisoners have been captured by the British, according to the official report last night in the Flanders drive.

Karl W. Hall, 22 years old, school teacher at Princeton, W. Va., was arrested yesterday charged with the murder of his father, Jerome W. Hall, 67 years old, who was found shot to death Sunday night at Princeton, near Bluefield. Hall claims his father committed suicide.

Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.
AUCTION SALE OF UNREDEEMED PLEDGES, ON FRIDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 28, 1917 AT 10 O'CLOCK.
I will commence to sell at the establishment of E. Heidenheimer, 505 King street, Alexandria, Va., all pledges upon which the interest is overdue up to this date, consisting of Diamond Rings, Pins, Earrings, and Studs, Gold, Silver and Metal Watches, all kinds of fine jewelry, Guns, Revolvers, Silverware, Books, Umbrellas, etc., together with a line of goods generally found in a loan office. Ticket holders kindly take notice.
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WANTED—Twenty-five girls to learn winding, doubling and spinning, wages $4.00 per week while learning, advanced in a few weeks. Steady work guaranteed. Apply at Klots Silk Mill, Pitt and Wilkes street, Alexandria. 216-6w.

WANTED—Young men and boys, can earn from $2.00 to $3.00 a day. Steady work and chance for advancement. Apply at once to Mr. Pierce, Western Union Telegraph Company, 1401 F Street, Washington, D. C. 215-15t.

An intelligent person may earn $100 monthly corresponding for newspapers; $40 to $50 monthly in spare time; experience unnecessary; no canvassing; subjects suggested. Send for particulars. National Press Bureau, Room 4234, Buffalo, N. Y. 118-tf.

Notice.
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Commerce and Savings, of Washington, D. C., will be held at the Alexandria office of the bank, 119 south Fairfax street, Aexandria, Va., September 27, 1917, at 11 o'clock a. m.
JOSEPH H. MILANS, Secretary.

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The Chamber of Commerce of this city has requested the co-operation of all the Real Estate Agents in Alexandria, in an effort to locate a large number of new workmen to be employed at the Steel Plant near Giesboro. In compliance with their request I therefore urge and request all property owners in the City of Alexandria, whose houses are vacant, to send a description of the same to this office, which property wil be listed with the Chamber of Commerce.
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ARREST OF MAYOR SOUGHT

Philadelphia Is Stirred Over Bold Deeds of Gunmen.

Philadelphia, Sept. 21.—The probe to reach the "men higher up" in the "Bloody Fifth" Ward's primary election political murder got under way yesterday.

"Who brought the gunmen to Philadelphia?" is the question upon which District Attorney Samuel P. Rotan declared his investigation is focused.

Demands that Mayor Smith be arrested and indicted came from many quarters, as the city became aroused over the rioting and bloodshed, which resulted in the killing of Detective George A. Eppley and the black jacking of James A. Carey, McNichol leader of the Fifth Ward, and Assistant District Attorney John H. Maurer.

Charges that the two men arrested conspired to murder Carey and Maurer were made today by Assistant District Attorney Taulane at a hearing before Magistrate Watson, in Central Station. Maurer, black and blue from his beating, testified that he had been warned half an hour before that thugs were waiting to "beat him up."

Both the men were held on the murder charge. At least five of their companions are at large, it was testified.

IMPORTANT MEN TO FLY

Airplanes on Trip From Langley Field to Washington Tomorrow.

When the fleet of four Italian airplanes flew from Langley field, Virginia, to Washington Saturday, the passengers will include Secretary Lane, Howard Coffin, head of the Government's aircraft production board; Major-General Squier, chief signal officer of the army, and several members of the Senate and House. It was announced today that the Italian officers in charge have been asked to make this flight an official one, with no passengers except men connected with the Government in some capacity.

The fleet will leave Langley field about 8 o'clock in the morning and is expected to alight at Potomac Park in about two hours. The return flight to Langley field will be unofficial, as will also be a later trip from Langley field to New York.

The Government representatives will observe closely the working of the big Caproni machine with its smaller companions, and will make comparisons between the working of the Italian engines and that of the lately designed Liberty motor.

SAVING OF FATS.

Food Officials Warn Against Waste Needed for War Purpose.

The food administration has issued the following:

Not long ago Field Marshal Hindenburg sent word to the German government at Berlin that if his troops and the men and women who weer making shells in the factories didn't have more fats somthing would happen to Germany.

Fats supply energy. Some fats are also necessary for growth and repair. All fats are important in the upkeep of the body. Hindenburg knew that if the German people did not get more fats they would be too weak to fight or work.

The fats we waste would almost supply Germany. Avoid waste and save them for ourselves and our allies.

Glycerin, the chief substance used in making explosives, is made from fats. Think of the thousands of tons of explosives that have been made in the last three years and you will understand why fats are so badly needed.—From the Official Bulletin.

VIRGINIA NEWS

A total of 67 students are registered at the University of Virginia as against 882 on the corresponding day last year. President Alderman predicts a total enrollment of between 750 to 800 for the session. There is an increase in the attendance of first-year men. The losses are accounted for by the call of the older students in the draft, and the response to the country's need by the professional men who would be completing the senior courses. The $2,000 flag pole presented to the University of Virginia by Thomas Fortune Ryan, of New York, has been placed on the northeast corner of the Rotunda, opposite the Ezekiel status of Jefferson. The base is of Indiana limestone topped by a massive bronze holder handsomely carved, the whole 7 1-2 feet in height. The Stars and Stripes are now floating from its head.

The League of Virginia Municipalities adjourned in Lynchburg yesterday afternoon after three days' sessions to meet next year in Richmond. The new officers elected are: President—E. R. Fuller, Richmond; First Vice President, Mayor E. W. Calfe, Pulaski; Second Vice President, Frank Talbott, Danville; Third Vice President, Mayor Royston Jester, Lynchburg; Secretary, L. C. Brinson, Portsmouth. Yesterday afternoon the delegates and women were given an automobile ride about Lynchburg, following which there was a banquet at Oakwood Country Club.

Lewis Vernon, wanted in Carroll county upon a charge of killing Ewing Rippley about 12 years ago, has been arrested in Pendleton, Oregon, and has been brought back to Carroll to stand trial. Vernon's identity was revealed through his effort to enlist in the army. His reticence to answer certain questions prompted the recruiting officers to communicate with Carroll authorities.

Operation of Harrisonburg's hydro-electric plant is impaired for lack of water. The Shenandoah river, on which the plant is situated, is the lowest in years, the water in the dam being six feet below normal. Street lights are being cut off at midnight to save current, which has been barely sufficient to operate the manufacturing plants and other concerns depending upon electric power. The current was cut off all day yesterday to accumulate enough water to provide lights last night.

Henry Menefee, of Sperryville, Rappahannock county, is reported to have committed suicide at his home yesterday by shooting himself with a shotgun. Despondency is supposed to have caused him to take his own life.

EIGHT CENT SUGAR SOON

Beet Producers Come to an Agreement With Hoover.

Beet sugar producers in conference with the Food Administration yesterday reached a unanimous agreement under which the stable retail price of sugar will be about eight cents a pound. They will sell to wholesalers at Eastern refining points at 7 1-4 cents a pound, cane basis, and the retail price, it was stated, would normally be not more than three-quarter of a cent higher.

At the same time, the Food Administration announced that an international committee of five had been named to arrange for the purchase and distribution of the vast quantities of sugar needed by the United States and Allied countries. This committee, acting through the Food Administration under authority of President Wilson's proclamation placing the sugar industry in this country under license, will control a large proportion of the world's sugar output.

LETTER TELLS OF MURDER.

State Senator Oberlin Victim of Gang, Writer Says.

Canton, Ohio, Sept., 21.—State Senator Adam Oberlin, who has been missing from his home here for two weeks, was murdered, according to an anonymous letter received by Mayor Stolberg. The letter threatens death to the Mayor if he fails to attach significance to the letter.

The letter was written on stationery of a local hotel and the writer declares he is one of a "gang" who helped kill Oberlin. He says the gang got $77 from Oberlin and placed his body under a shed near Canton. The writer asks $300 for information as to where the body is. The letter is signed by "Heavy and His Gang of Fight."

A conductor of a Northern Ohio traction car said Oberlin was on his car running from here to New Philadelphia, Ohio, on the day he disappeared. Another man reported he saw the Senator walking along a roadway between New Philadelphia and Urichsville, on the same day, September 4.

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PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

In the City of Alexandria, Va.

I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at 12 o'clock M. on the 29th day of September 1917, in front of the Market Building on north Royal street, the following described real estate, known as 611 south Fairfax street, the same being conveyed by, T. H. Oakshott, and Mary T. Oakshott, his wife to Virginia E. Chancey in Liber V, No. 3, Folio 152, of the land records of the city of Alexandria, with all appurtenances there to belonging. This property has a large eight room house, beautiful yard, with fruit shade and flowers, has a frontal on Fairfax street of 70 feet more or less, with a depth of 123 feet 5 inches. This sale is by order of the Executrix.

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Notice Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Harris & Schafer Co. will be held at the office of Mr. Gardner L. Booth, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Thursday, September 27, 1917, at 2:30 P. M.

By order of the President,

E. A. HARRIS
Secretary.

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Notice of Redemption of Bonds.

The District of Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company hereby gives notice that it has called for redemption and will pay, on October 2, 1917, all of its outstanding Coupon Bonds of the issue of April 2, 1910 and particularly Bond numbered forty-three (43). The principal and interest of said bonds will be paid at the office of the American Security and Trust Company, corner Pennsylvania Avenue and Fifteenth Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C.

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Owing to the death of my husband I will sell at public auction on October 3, 1917, commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, my dairy and stock farm also stock and personal property, consisting of 206 acres; 25 acres in a high state of cultivation, balance in good timber; a quantity of pulp wood; a variety of fruit; water in each field; good buildings; three story dairy barn 50x60; stanchions for 44 head cattle; calf barn; eight-stall horse barn 30x40; silo; six room, nearly new bungalow; eight room tenant and other buildings, all in good condition, running water in both houses and barn. Farm is located two miles from Manassas, Va., on main line of Southern railroad, milk station only half mile away. Washington, D. C., 30 miles. Terms for farm property one-third cash. Personal property, 21 milk cows, fresh since Sept. 10th, tuberculin tested; 7 Holstein heifers coming fresh soon, 1 thorobred bull and calf, 3 heavy draft mares (two bred) 1 young horse, 3 colts, 1 good driving horse, 15 hogs (two sows bred) and all machinery and implements, wagons and harness which would be found on any up to date farm; 24 acres good corn in the shock, hay, pea hay, straw, 200 bushels potatoes, wheat straw. Terms cash.

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HAIG'S MIGHTY DRIVE

British Troops Advance Behind Veritable Inferno.

With the British armies in the field, Sept. 21.—Behind an inferno of bursting steel British troops' carried on" still further today into German positions along the Ypres-Menin road.

Probably the greatest artillery duel of the whole war raged last night and today over the eight-mile front on which Field Marshal Haig's troops struck early yesterday morning. The Germans poured a terrific barrage to cover their counter attacks and the British imposed a wall of shells before the enemy's advances or ahead of their own troops.

"Complete success" was General Haig's epitome today of the results to date of the drive. His official report declared the enemy's losses were very heavy. British casualties he said, were light.

Ten square of miles of new Belgian territory are in the hands of the British today as a result of their victory.

Shaken German prisoners examined today after the first sweep of the great offensive declared the British barrage fire heralding the infantry assault was the most deadly in the history of the war.

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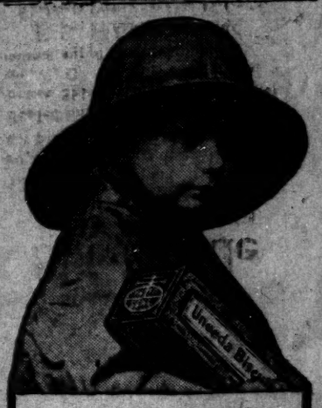

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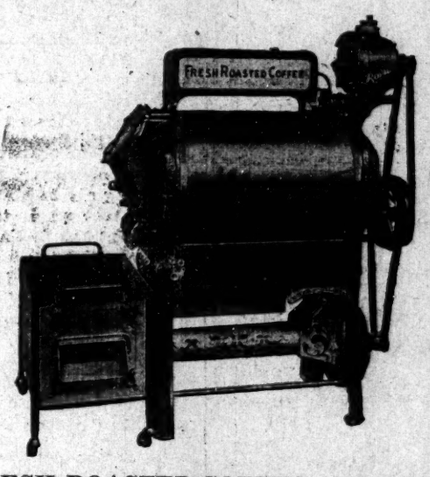

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